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GCSE
CITIZENSHIP STUDIES

Paper 1

Monday 15 May 2023 Afternoon Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

Materials
You will need no other materials.

Instructions
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.
  Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

Information
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.

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Section A

Active citizenship

Answer **all** questions in this section.

0 1 **Investigating the action of others**

0 1 . 1 Identify **one** example of direct action in the context of active citizenship.

[1 mark]

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0 1 . 2 What is meant by the term 'jury service'?

[1 mark]

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0 1 . 3 Identify **two** differences between a referendum and an election.

[2 marks]

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0 1 . 4 Using an example, explain what is meant by the term 'boycott'.

[2 marks]

0 1 . 5 Using an example, explain **one** way a citizen can contribute to parliamentary democracy.

[2 marks]

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0 1 . 6 **Source A**

Shelter

Shelter is a charity for housing and homelessness. There is a huge increase in people seeking Shelter's services. Shelter uses the social media platform TikTok to educate and inform people about the ongoing housing emergency. TikTok has over one billion users. Many TikTok users are aged between 16 and 25.

The charity has created short educational videos. These videos are shared on TikTok and other social media platforms. Shelter posts educational content that raises awareness for issues such as overcrowding and tenants' rights.

Shelter uses the platform to:

- create educational videos about the housing crisis in the UK
- highlight fundraising campaigns and petitions
- break down myths around eviction rules
- explain what hidden homelessness is
- give practical tips such as how to help someone who is sleeping rough
- inform homeless people how to access free sanitary products.

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Examine why people wishing to bring about change in society may choose to use social media.

You should refer to **Source A** and examples from your own knowledge in your answer.

[8 marks]

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0 2 **Your Active Citizenship Investigation**

State what your investigation is about.

0 2 . 1 Explain **one** reason why the issue you chose was important.

[2 marks]

0 2 . 2 Discuss how successful your citizenship action was in relation to your initial aims.

[4 marks]

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0 2 . 3 Summarise the results and conclusions of your research.

Evaluate the extent to which these results and conclusions helped you to plan your citizenship action.

[6 marks]

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0 2 . 4 Analyse how well you considered other viewpoints in your citizenship investigation.

Your answer should refer to:

- how you presented your own viewpoint
- how you represented the views of others
- how these different viewpoints contributed to your citizenship action.

[12 marks]

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Section B

Politics and participation

Answer **all** questions.

For each question completely fill in the circle alongside the appropriate answer.

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If you want to change your answer you must cross out your original answer as shown.

If you wish to return to an answer previously crossed out, ring the answer you now wish to select as shown.

0 3 . 1 Which **one** of the following resolves disputes between the UK Government and the devolved assemblies?

[1 mark]

Shade in the **one** correct answer.

A Crown Court ⬭

B High Court ⬭

C Magistrates' Court ⬭

D Supreme Court ⬭

0 3 . 2 Explain what is meant by the term 'royal assent'.

[2 marks]

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0 3 . 3 **Source B**

Constitutions

The US Constitution is written and codified. This clearly sets out the rights of citizens and the powers of the government. This also means it is not flexible. It has only had 27 amendments since 1787.

The Second Amendment to the US Constitution protects the right to gun ownership. It states that 'the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed'. This has made it difficult to pass laws to limit and control gun ownership in the US.

Referring to **Source B**, discuss **two** differences between the UK constitution and the US Constitution.

[4 marks]

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0 4 . 1 Which job would **not** allow you to stand for election to become a Member of Parliament (MP)?

[1 mark]

Shade in the **one** correct answer.

A Doctor ⬭

B Firefighter ⬭

C Lifeguard ⬭

D Police Officer ⬭

0 4 . 2 What is the minimum voting age in the following elections?

[2 marks]

UK general election: _____

Scottish Parliamentary election: _____

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0 4 . 3 **Source C**

Becoming a local councillor

Helga is 29 years old and wishes to stand as a candidate in the next local election in Birmingham. Helga moved to the UK from Poland. She has been living in Birmingham for the past two years.

Helga feels she has the necessary skills to become a councillor. She already works in the local council.

Peter is 20 years old. Peter wishes to stand as a candidate in the next local election in Birmingham. He has lived and worked in Birmingham all his life. Peter feels he has the necessary skills to become a councillor. He is considered to be a very intelligent and helpful young man. Peter is worried people may be concerned that he went to prison on a short sentence six years ago.

Referring to the people in **Source C**, describe who can and cannot stand as a candidate in local elections.

[4 marks]

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0 5 . 1 Identify **two** roles carried out by the Speaker of the House of Commons.

[2 marks]

Shade in the **two** correct answers.

A Barring members ⬭

B Chairing debates ⬭

C Ensuring attendance ⬭

D Managing accounts ⬭

E Managing security ⬭

F Organising ceremonies ⬭

0 5 . 2 Identify **two** roles Black Rod is responsible for.

[2 marks]

Shade in the **two** correct answers.

A Accounting ⬭

B Attending cabinet meetings ⬭

C MPs voting ⬭

D Recruitment ⬭

E Security ⬭

F State Opening of Parliament ⬭

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0 5 . 3 **Source D**

House of Commons

Source D is an image from the House of Commons. Members of Parliament (MPs) sit on specific benches in the House of Commons according to their roles.

Referring to **Source D**, discuss the significance of where MPs sit in the House of Commons.

[4 marks]

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0 6 . 1 Which **one** of the following is a political party in the UK?

[1 mark]

Shade in the **one** correct answer.

A CAFOD ⬭

B Plaid Cymru ⬭

C UNISON ⬭

D Unite ⬭

0 6 . 2 'UK political parties are all the same.'

Considering a range of views, evaluate this statement.

[8 marks]

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0 7 . 1 Identify which post in the UK Cabinet is responsible for the Treasury.

[1 mark]

Shade in the **one** correct answer.

A Chancellor of the Exchequer ⬭

B Foreign Secretary ⬭

C Home Secretary ⬭

D Lord Chancellor ⬭

0 7 . 2 'The UK Prime Minister's power is limited by the influence of the media on public opinion.'

Considering a range of views, to what extent do you agree with this statement?

In your answer you should consider:

- the power of the Prime Minister
- the role of the media in informing and influencing public opinion
- the role of the media in holding those in power to account.

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